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TO EXPLOIT DOMESTIC MAGNESITE

In the absence of a furnace, no research is being done on adapting this mineral for use as a refractory material. However, with a little effort, such a furnace can be obtained. There is a great need for magnesite brick in many industrial and mining enterprises.

Because of the urgent need in the rubber factory, a team of geologists from the Museum of Natural Sciences and a chemist recently went to Bulcar to analyze the deposit qualitatively, and to conduct experimental work and extraction as well as prospecting.

About quintals of magnesite were extracted. Most of it was first quality. It was carried out to the highway and dumped there.

The Institute of Sciences is engaged in research with a view to substituting domestic magnesite for materials that have had to be imported thus far. The Institute also conducted similar research on kaolin.

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